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COMMITTEE REPORT

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MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on **Public Health**, to which was referred Senate Bill 201, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill **be amended** as follows:

- 1 Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new
- 2 paragraph and insert:
- 3 "SECTION 1. IC 12-15-31.1-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
- 4 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 4. (a) If an adjustment
- 5 in dispensing fees is made following a survey conducted under section
- 6 1 of this chapter. The secretary shall commence the rulemaking process
- 7 under IC 4-22-2 to make the adjustment not later than November 1 of
- 8 the year in which the survey was conducted.
- 9 **(b) The office shall apply to the United States Department of**
- 10 **Health and Human Services for an amendment to the state**
- 11 **Medicaid plan if the office determines that an amendment is**
- 12 **necessary to carry out this section."**
- 13 Page 5, delete lines 20 through 21, begin a new paragraph and
- 14 insert:
- 15 "SECTION 4. [EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2008] (a) **As used in**

1 this SECTION, "office" refers to the office of Medicaid policy and
2 planning established by IC 12-8-6-1.

3 (b) The office or a managed care organization that has
4 contracted with the office to provide coverage for Medicaid
5 recipients shall reimburse a physician at:

6 (1) a rate of one hundred percent (100%) of rates payable
7 under the Medicaid fee structure; or

8 (2) a contractually agreed upon rate between the physician
9 and the managed care organization;

10 for professional emergency physician screening services provided
11 under current procedural terminology (CPT) codes 99281 through
12 99283.

13 (c) The office may adopt rules under IC 4-22-2 to provide
14 reimbursement for screening services provided in an emergency
15 department of a hospital licensed under IC 16-21 that are not a
16 covered service as of January 1, 2008.

17 (d) This SECTION expires December 31, 2008."

18 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to SB 201 as printed February 2, 2007.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Representative Brown C